

# Iron County Register

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SCHEDULE OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS.

St. Louis Mail, No. 51, 12:15 p. m.

Memphis Express, No. 66, 1:35 p. m.

SOUTH BOUND TRAINS.

St. Louis Mail, No. 52, 12:15 p. m.

Memphis Express, No. 65, 1:35 p. m.

W. P. WEMP, Agent.

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

IRONTON POST OFFICE.

Morning Mail—Night Trains. Opened at 7:00 a. m.

Day Trains. Closed at 12:00 p. m.

Evening Mail—Day Trains. Opened at 2:00 p. m.

Night Trains. Closed at 7:00 p. m.

Money Order business opens at 8:00 o'clock, a. m.

and owing to the rush of mail business in the evening the window will close promptly at 6:00 p. m.

Office hours on Sundays and holidays from 7:30 to 9:00 a. m., 1:00 to 2:00 p. m. and 6:00 to 7:00 p. m.

Patrons of the office will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

J. N. Bishop, Postmaster.

## Announcement.

We are authorized to announce J. M. HAWKINS as a candidate for Commissioner of Public Schools of Iron county, Mo., subject to the vote of the voters at the coming election to be held April 4th.

## LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

The Easter lilies are in bloom.

Once more we call attention to April 15th.

County Court holds an adjourned term next Monday.

The roads adjacent to Ironton are simply in a horrible condition.

Wanted—A good girl for general housework. Small family and good wages. Apply here.

Messrs. E. J. Warrington, W. Allen and H. Weber have formed a partnership in granite cutting.

Henry Adolph, the jeweler, has a full assortment of fine Easter Cards at all prices and of the newest designs.

Collector-elect O'Neal will take charge of the Collector's office next week, and Mr. Fisher will succeed P. W. Whitworth as Treasurer.

Married—Thursday, March 16th, at the Parsonage in Arcadia, by Rev. L. F. Aspley, Claiborne P. Cox and Miss Kate Hill, both of Bellevue.

The hub factories are not buying any logs now. Both factories are well supplied with timber, and now that the sap is up, the logs do not keep.

We venture to predict, that after seeing "In White Robes," it will be conceded that we have among us "one of the noblest Romans of them all."

"In White Robes" at the Academy of Music April 15th. Admission, 25 cents; children, 10 cents; reserved seats on sale at drug store, 35 cents.

Bishop Tuttle has announced his intention to take part in the services and hold Confirmation at St. Paul's Church on Ascension Day, May 11th.

Miss Henderson, the expert trimmer who will have charge of Lopez's millinery department, arrives from St. Louis to-day. Grand opening next Thursday, March 30th. Particulars later.

We regret to hear that the Rev. G. D. B. Miller of St. Louis, Bishop Tuttle's Secretary, who has often visited in the Valley, is now in St. Luke's Hospital, and we wish him a speedy recovery.

For Sale—A farm of 150 acres; 70 acres in cultivation. Good house and barn and outhouses. Fine spring and land well watered. Title perfect. Will be sold very cheap. Apply at this office.

Geo. Lopez was last Thursday nominated as the Republican candidate for the House of Representatives from the Twenty-Fourth ward in the City of St. Louis, defeating his opponent by a vote of three to one.

At the M. E. Conference in St. Louis Monday W. R. McCormick was appointed pastor for the Ironton church the ensuing year. Mr. Coen, the present pastor, was appointed to the charge in Bonne Terre.

A number of gentlemen from St. Louis were here last week looking after the manganese iron mines south of town. It is understood a company will be organized at once to continue the prospecting.

J. Lopez is in St. Louis this week buying spring goods. The young lady who is to have charge of the millinery department will arrive the latter part of the week and be prepared to attend to all orders for spring millinery.

De Soto has a high school, and at the coming election a proposition will be submitted to the voters of the district to raise the tax for school purposes to "eighty cents on the dollar." Do the people of this district desire to pay any such tax?

Wm. Spauagh, who has frequently figured in the police court during the past year, was arraigned before Mayor Edgar Monday on the charge of disturbing the peace. He pleaded guilty and fine and costs amounting to \$18 were assessed against him.

When it is stated that scarcely any of the scenery of the Academy of Music will be used in the drama "In White Robes," but that the play is to be given with new scenery, appropriate to the time of the action—an idea of the treat in store for the friends of the school can be had.

Following are the signal service readings at this point for the week ending March 21st, showing the highest and lowest temperature recorded each day: March 15th, 45, 39; 16th, 36, 31; 17th, 37, 37; 18th, 56, 47; 19th, 52, 26; 20th, 55, 24; 21st, 67, 44. Rainfall, 1.52.

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

E. Bisplinghoff was down a few days last week looking after his property interests here. He is now making his home the most of the time with his son Elisha, who is in the mercantile business at Bellevue or Cross Roads in Iron county. He says Elisha has been in business there for some time and is doing very well.—Piedmont Banner.

Services will be as follows in St. Paul's Church next week, being Holy Week: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, morning prayer at 9:30 a. m.; evening prayer and address at 7:30 p. m.; Good Friday, morning prayer at 9:30 a. m.; special service 2 p. m.; evening prayer for Sunday School, 4 p. m.; communionists' class, 7:30 p. m. All members of the congregation are requested to notice this announcement, and all friends are invited to attend the services.

The editor is in receipt of an invitation from Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Fairchild to attend the wedding of Miss Lula Fairchild of Ironton, and Dr. Robert Maupin Leslie, Monday evening, April 24th, at half past eight o'clock, Baptist church, Livingston, Montana. The reception will be given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. N. Hufferlin, Yellowstone street, from nine to half past ten. Miss Fairchild is an Ironton girl, born and bred, and her legion of friends here wish her happiness.

The following from Jefferson City appeared in Wednesday's *Globe-Democrat*: "The Drum bill, introduced by Mr. Lee in the House, providing for the erection of Lunatic Asylum No. 4, in Southeastern Missouri, at a cost of \$150,000, passed the House to-day, and needs only the signature of the Governor to make it a law. It is understood that Representative Farrar, of Iron, has offered to give a farm worth \$10,000 in the Arcadia Valley to the State if the new asylum is located thereon. A commission, to be appointed by the Governor, will locate the asylum."

Some of the school directors inform us that the extra ten-cent levy made last year for school purposes was wholly unnecessary—that the ordinary levy yielded enough revenue to pay all expenses of the Ironton public schools, and that the amount raised by the extra levy, and more, will remain in the treasury at the close of the school year. If this be so, why is an extra ten-cent levy to be voted on again this year? If it carries it will be collected and piled up in the treasury in addition to the surplus now on hand—to what end? For what purpose? We would really like to know.

Theodore Walteck was brought to Ironton Thursday last by the railroad officer McCabe, and lodged in jail on the charge of placing obstructions on the track near Annapolis. Walteck had his hearing before Squire Fairchild the following day. The evidence showed that the defendant had placed some heavy timbers on the rails, which were struck by a freight train. Luckily no wreck resulted, but the engine was considerably damaged. The only excuse Walteck gave for his action was that he was hungry and no one would feed him. He was remanded to jail to await the action of the next grand jury.

For the consideration of the fruit growers whose trees were killed by the cold weather of a few weeks ago we quote the suggestion of L. A. Goodman, Secretary of the State Horticultural society. "The freeze has discolored the wood and these trees should be cut back severely. If old trees, cut back to stubs about six or eight feet high. If young trees, cut so as to leave stubs of branches about six or eight inches long. In other words, debore the trees. If the trees have bursted slightly then cut off the bursted bark and cover with grafting wax. If the bark has loosened all around the tree or so far around that it cannot recover, then cut the tree off at the ground and let a sprout grow and make a new tree."

By reference to the official notice published in the REGISTER it will be seen that among the propositions to be submitted to the voters of this district at the coming school election is the following: "shall the Board of Directors let the school house for other than public school purposes?" Under this the Board has no power to permit the building to be used for any other than public school purposes, unless first sanctioned by the voters of the district. It is desired to get this permission so that the school house may be used by the teachers for the county institute this summer, and possibly a month or two of private school under the proper restrictions. We think Warren has a right to his opinion. Mr. W. is an advanced educator, and the REGISTER cheerfully accords him honesty of purpose and single-minded zeal in his profession. We contend that his zeal is misguided—only this, and nothing more.

Last Thursday G. W. Scoggins of Glover came to Ironton and swore out a warrant against Joe Warren, a young man living near Glover, for carrying concealed weapons. On the day previous Warren had visited Scoggins' mill and began talking to some of the men who were at work loading lumber. Scoggins ordered Warren to leave the place and not interfere with the men in their work, but Warren refused to go saying he was not interfering with the men. Scoggins and Warren had some words when, it is said, Scoggins struck Warren, and the latter drew a revolver. Scoggins then went to the house and returned in a few minutes with a shot gun which he presented toward Warren, who knuckled the muzzle upwards and the gun fired, but no one was injured. Outsiders then inter-

fered and the men were separated. Warren came to Ironton Friday and pleaded guilty to carrying concealed weapons before Squire Fairchild, who fined him \$50 and costs. He paid the costs and served five days in jail to liquidate the fine.

Mrs. Ellen Wesley, who formerly lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baum in Graniteville, this county, and is well known in Ironton, was united in marriage in St. Louis Monday to Rev. Frank Lenig, a prominent minister in the M. E. Church. The following account of the wedding is taken from Tuesday's *Globe-Democrat*: "One of the things not on the programme of the Methodist conference, closing at Union Church last night, was the marriage of one of the presiding elders of the conference, Rev. Frank Lenig, well known in St. Louis, where he preached for many years. While the members of the Epworth League were celebrating their anniversary upstairs, down in the ladies' parlor of the church a small party gathered to witness Rev. Mr. Lenig's marriage with Mrs. Ellen Wesley, of Bonne Terre, Mo. The marriage was performed by Bishop Bowman, who, in the simple and impressive ceremony of the church, united the two young people in matrimony. After the ceremony those present gathered around Rev. and Mrs. Lenig and congratulated them. Rev. Mr. Lenig was pastor of the Good Hope Methodist Church from 1892 until 1895, when he was transferred to the Fry Memorial Church, where he served for two years. He has been presiding elder of the Sedalia district for three years, and while one of the youngest elders in the conference, is counted one of the powers in the church. Mrs. Lenig has been attending the conference during all the sessions, coming here with Rev. and Mrs. E. D. C. Koeth from Bonne Terre, Mo. Koeth being her sister. She has known Rev. Mr. Lenig for many years. It was intended that the marriage should take place yesterday afternoon, but the work of the cabinet was so great as to prevent. Rev. Mr. Lenig, while attending the conference, has been staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, No. 1819 Belle Glade avenue. Rev. and Mrs. Lenig went there last night and will remain in the city until Wednesday, when they will return to their future home in Sedalia, where Rev. Mr. Lenig has been reassigned."

## Personal.

G. A. Buckey is in Leosterville. Will Haller was home the first of the week.

Mrs. Dr. Gay is visiting Piedmont relatives.

J. Grandhomme was in St. Louis last week.

Tom Tolleson was up from Piedmont Sunday.

W. H. Shelby is spending a few days with his family.

Mrs. Dr. Schultz of St. Louis visited Ironton relatives last week.

Jas. A. Rayburn of Washington county was in town Monday.

Mrs. Hettie Jones spent a couple of days in De Soto the past week.

Mrs. Annie Smith of St. Louis is the guest of her brother, J. N. Bishop.

Messrs. A. F. Bond and J. H. Jones are visiting in Jefferson City this week.

Miss Clara Schwab returned Monday from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Frauenthal, in St. Louis.

## Arcadia Locals.

Prof. Hawkins called in Arcadia Saturday.

I. N. Hamilton, of De Soto, was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Tual, who has been visiting relatives at this place, returned to De Soto one day last week.

Mrs. Simpson has returned from a pleasant visit to Graniteville friends and relatives.

Mr. Bert Langdon, of Dunklin county, spent a week with his family at this place recently.

Mr. D. Y. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Alma Johnson, went to Bellevue one day last week.

Miss Mae Whitworth is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. J. Campbell, of St. Louis.

Mr. Farral has moved his family to Ironton.

We regret to hear that Mr. Simpson was on the sick list last week.

Mrs. James Austin and two little sons, visited her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Pratt, at Hogan, several days last week.

Sam Austin, after a brief visit to relatives at this place, has returned to De Soto.

Married, at the parsonage, last Thursday, by Rev. L. F. Aspley, Miss Hill and Mr. Pierce Cox, both of Bellevue, Mo.

We are glad to report that Miss Maude Langdon, who has been so seriously ill with pneumonia, is improving.

Mr. Wm. Nations has moved his family to the house on College street, just vacated by Mr. Farral.

Mr. S. Andrews is visiting home at this place at the present time.

Mr. Hiram Baird and Messrs. Whitworth and Ringo are changing stores this week; Mr. Baird taking his own, and the other firm taking the Harvill store.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Baird and children are visiting relatives in Piedmont.

Mrs. E. C. Rockwell gave a turkey dinner to several of her friends last Friday. Rev. and Mrs. Aspley were among those invited.

Misses Anna Kendall, Bertha and Nellie Fairchild and Kate Reel, also Fred Curtis, of Ironton, were in Arcadia Sunday afternoon. SUNSHINE.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

This remedy is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough and influenza. It has become famous for its cures of these diseases, over a large part of the civilized world. The most flattering testimonials have been received, giving accounts of its good works; of the aggravating and persistent coughs it has cured; of its soothing effects, and of the dangerous attacks of croup it has cured, often saving the life of the child. The extensive use of it for whooping cough has shown that it robs that disease of all dangerous consequences. Sold by Geo. C. Jacobs, Druggist.

## Concerning the Parade.

IRON COUNTY, March 17, '99. Mr. Ache, of the Ironton Newspaper: DEER SIR—I've since I heard of the parade on St. Patrick's day I and my family have been gotten ready to cum down and jine them, and we did cum, but divel of Parade did we see, and we found out that one of the main goosons and hed-center was in bed all day while me and my family was waiting on the side walk to fall in. Now, Mr. Ache, I leave it to yourself if this as way to treat a brother Irishman—if he is a real Irishman, witch I doubt, or he would have more dacency then to use us as he has. But may his conscience forgive him for the silte he has put on the land of "Brian Boru and nappy tander." Good-by!

FROM ONE OF THE GOSSOONS. P. S.—I have learned since that the deputy hed-center could not find his pardner and whint home an spent this glorious day in diggin' common post-holes—the first day's work he's known all the year. Again, good-by! G.

Rev. E. Edwards, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism, was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved a great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me." For sale by Geo. C. Jacobs, Druggist.

## Annapolis News.

Dear Editor—Since my last there have been many things escaped me, as I have been on the sick list for more than two weeks.

James McDaniell, who has been very sick with pneumonia for the last three weeks, was out on the street to-day. We are glad to see him improving and hope he will soon be restored to health again. "Mac," as we call him, is a good citizen, a good neighbor and a friend to every one that attends to their own affairs.

Mr. Halley, the foreman of the fencing gang, while working north of this place last Thursday evening, captured a would be train wrecker while putting obstructions on the railroad track. I understand his excuse was that he could not get to ride on the trains and he had no money and was suffering from hunger. Mr. Halley kept him until he heard from the railroad officials who sent down their private officer to look charge of him and left on a train for Ironton. We have not heard what disposition was made of the case.

Gus Funk left yesterday for Illinois where he contemplates making a large trade; trading some property here for a farm in Illinois. We hope he will do well in all his enterprises. Prof. Sizemore made a flying trip to Sabula yesterday and returned on No. 1. We can't say what it is that attracts him up the road so much. Much rumor would have us to believe that he is to be married soon to an estimable young lady. I am sure he deserves the best.

Annapolis seems to be laboring under the effects of a grippé.

As to preaching it is almost a thing of the past. I hear of a debate that is to take place here in the near future. Our Sunday School is in a state of coma. The W. C. T. U. is obsolete. Christianity is at a standstill and pandemonium seems to reign.

We are glad to see Sylvester Kitchell at home again. Syl has a host of friends and but few enemies. We wish him success in health and business.

J. S. Benson has bought the Fred Hunt farm in front of the Annapolis depot. When he improves it, it will be a nice place. No more at present.

## UNCLE JOHN.

Editor Register—Seen in how "Uncle John" has been blocked out by the high water and bein' as he is on that account unable to give the readers of your excellent paper the news from our little city I have shouldered the burden so recently laid down by Mr. "Cruz" and so soon neglected by "Uncle John."

But, dear me, how shall I begin? Now I want to tell all about the tramp who, on account of being refused food at Annapolis, started out to put all kinds of obstructions on the railroad and was arrested by Mr. Halley and how the railroad detective came down and we can't say what it is that attracts him up the road so much. Much rumor would have us to believe that he is to be married soon to an estimable young lady. I am sure he deserves the best.

The Knights are just doing splendid work having at present about fifty members. Mr. Gus Funk has gone to Illinois on business. Mr. Jess McGlothlin is running Mr. Benson's saw mill and business is pushing along much better than formerly.

Mr. Ad. Reese has quit the railroad and taken charge of the engine at Benson's mill. Mr. Reese is a hustler and under his hand much better work is being done.

Mr. Andy Tucker is running the Funk saw mill. James Harris is moving to Des Arc where he aims to farm.

Mr. Kitchell has got back and is doing business at the old stand. It just does me old heart good to learn of his return to his afflicted family.

Dr. Clarkson is sporting a new stiff hat. It adds very much to the doctor's appearance.

I wish they would fix the porch in front of the post-office. It rocks so when one steps on it that old folks like me receive a nervous shock every time we go there. AUNT POLLY.

## Coughed 25 Years.

I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors and for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tree-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. B. Rosell, Grantsburg, Ill.

## Miss Wilkins' New Book.

In April Miss Mary E. Wilkins' latest story, "The Jamesons in the Country," which is now running serially in *The Ladies' Home Journal*, will be published in book form by the Doubleday & McClure Company, of New York.

## Roselle Breezes.

Ed. Register—As we have not seen any items from this place in your valuable paper for some time I will try to tell you a few, without reference to date or day.

There is quite a lot of sickness in Roselle at present. Most of the farmers are getting ready to do their spring plowing now. Looks as if the Iron County Court might spend a little more of its surplus in the way of repairing the road in this section.

Married—March 16, Thursday, Mr. Charles Lewis and Miss Maggie Allen, both of this place. Rev. T. L. Braswell performed the official ceremony which made the twain one. We hope the young couple a long and happy life.

Mr. Martin Johnson has sold his farm to Rev. A. Carver. Mr. Johnson will move to Flat River in the near future, where he has purchased a restaurant.

We understand that Mr. Current of this place is going to build a steam planer for the purpose of planing his staves.

Miss Mary Whitney of near Red Point, Mo., has been visiting friends and relatives hereabouts the past month.

W. M. Johnson visited friends and relatives at De Soto and Doe Run recently.

There have been several dances in this community of late; they were all well attended and the dancers report a fine time.

Mr. Newton M. Whitney is on the sick list at present.

The Iron county Surveyor, Mr. Holman, was here Thursday and Friday, surveying out some land for Messrs. Vance and Olserson.

Mr. Dan Ball, wife and children, were visiting here last week.

Rev. A. Carver filled his regular appointment at Old Bethany Sunday.

Work seems to be suspended on the Missionary church house at present.

Mr. John Tesrow and Lewis Ashlock called in Roselle on day last week.

There seems to be some attraction for Mr. Farnia Tesrow in Roselle.

We note that one young man who has been in the habit of calling in Roselle on Sunday evenings didn't put in appearance last Sunday.

Mr. Theodore Freeman of Arcadia is seen quite often in our town.

Mr. Sam Farmer of near Red Point, Mo., has been visiting here the past month.

Mrs. Wilson and daughter, Miss Lulu, called on Mrs. Massie and daughters, Misses Rosa and Hattie, one day last week.

There seems to be some attraction for Mr. Robert Vance at Mr. Keathley's.

Mr. John Tesrow is seen quite often in Roselle of late. You must have some special business, John.

Mr. Cris. Keathley is building a new house.

Mr. Thomas Tesrow was in Roselle on business Friday last.

We understand there will be a railroad built up the St. Francis river.

We hope so, but of course what suite one doesn't suit somebody else. There's always some one to "kick" at everything.

Mrs. Thursty Warmake is visiting friends and relatives at this place.

We would like to know why your worthy correspondent at this place, who sails under the non de plume of "Snap Shot," doesn't make his appearance oftener.

I will only give you the news when a more competent writer cannot be found.\*

Yours in the bush. SUNSHINE.

\*Come, and welcome.—Ed.

I have been afflicted with rheumatism for fourteen years and nothing seemed to give any relief. I was able to be around all the time, but constantly suffering. I had tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did, and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured. I am happy to say that it has not since returned.—JOSEPH EDGAR, Germantown, Cal. For sale by Geo. C. Jacobs, Druggist.

## Middlebrook Breezes.

As my items escaped the waste basket last week I thought I would send you a few more.

Mrs. Wm. Trauernicht left for St. Louis last Sunday to spend a few days.

Mrs. J. Lorenze of Farmington was in town last week visiting home folks.

Mr. Joe Ottman of Iron Mountain was in town Monday.

Mr. J. Brady of Flat River was in town last Sunday visiting his family.

Miss Minnie Edmonds of Graniteville was in town last Friday visiting friends.

Mr. Herman Trauernicht and family of Farmington were in town last Wednesday. Herman returned same day, leaving his family here to spend a few days with relatives.

Miss Emma Steffens and Miss Minnie Trauernicht of Graniteville were in town Thursday.

Mrs. H. Behrens and children of Greenville are in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Gherman.

Mrs. H. Block of Ironton is in town visiting relatives.

Mr. John McCabe of Monterey was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Block and Mrs. E. Hitzman of Bismarck were in town Monday.

Mrs. M. J. Crews of Graniteville was in town Tuesday.

Mr. H. Menke of St. Louis, representing the Green Tree Brewery, was in town Monday on business.

Mrs. L. Fry of Malden, Mo., is in town visiting her sister, Mrs. Gassman, who is sick with pneumonia.

Mr. Wm. Trauernicht west to Graniteville Friday on business.

Mr. F. Rodach went to Ironton Thursday.

F. Buchenschnetz and T. G. Meyer went to Pilot Knob last Thursday.

A. M. Trauernicht and Fred Saling went to Iron Mountain last Wednesday night.

Mr. L. A. Seitz returned to St. Louis last Thursday morning.

Mr. F. Bess, Jr., has been on the sick list for the past few days.

Wm. Trauernicht, the tailor, is very busy turning out springs suits.

There have been quite a number of wild geese passing through this vicinity the last few days.

Middlebrook was visited by a hail

# New Goods For the Season!

